

ALBANY COMMON COUNCIL MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING

Monday, November 30, 2015

The Common Council was convened at 7:00 p.m. and was called to order by President McLaughlin.

The roll being called, the following answered to their names: Council Members Applrys, Bailey, Commisso, Conti, Doesschate, Fahey, Flynn, Golby, Igoe, Kimbrough, Kornegay, Krasher, O'Brien and Robinson.

Also present was the following staff: Nala Woodard, Barbara Samel and Patrick Jordan.

Council Member Robinson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

1. Judd Feinman, P.O. Box 11600, Albany, NY (Trash Fee);
2. Keith Irish, 461 Ontario Street, Albany, NY (PEG Access funding);
3. Rita Marsh, 700 Central Avenue, Albany, NY (Rent Control & Trash Fee);
4. Nancy Benedict, 31 Forest Road, Delmar, NY (Funding for PEG Access Coordinator position);
5. Joseph McGovern, 5 Wilson Street, Albany, NY (Trash Fee);
6. Vincent Riguso, 13 Beach Avenue, Albany, NY (Budget & Trash Fee);
7. Dennis Karius, 13 York Road, Albany, NY (Funding for PEG Access Coordinator position);
8. Tracey Cassers, 184 Washington Avenue, Albany, NY (Trash Fee).

There being no further speakers, the President declared the Public Comment Period closed.

CONSIDERATION OF ORDINANCES

Council Member Conti introduced ORDINANCE NUMBER 51.112.15, asked for passage and a roll call vote thereon:

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE BUDGET AS PRESENTED BY THE MAYOR ON OCTOBER 1, 2015, FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016

The City of Albany in Common Council convened, does hereby ordain and enact:

Section 1. The budget as presented by the Mayor on October 1, 2015, is hereby adopted as and for the Budget of the City of Albany for fiscal year 2016.

Section 2. It is hereby ordered and directed that the sums set forth therein as expenditures are hereby appropriated in the amounts and for the several departments, offices and purposes specified therein.

Section 3. It is further hereby ordered and directed that the sums set forth therein as revenues and the moneys necessary to be raised by tax in addition thereto to pay the expenses of conducting the business of the City shall be and are hereby applicable in the amounts specified for the purpose of meeting said appropriations.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be effective immediately.

The ordinance passed by the following vote of all Council Members elected voting in favor thereof:

Affirmative – Applyrs, Conti, Doesschate, Fahey, Flynn, Golby, Igoe, Kimbrough, Kornegay and O’Brien

Negative – Bailey, Commisso, Krasher and Robinson

Affirmative 10 Negative 4 Abstain 0

MISCELLANEOUS AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

NONE

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made for adjournment.

President McLaughlin stated, hearing no objections, that the Council was adjourned.

A true record of the Common Council Minutes of November 30th, 2015.

CASHAWNA PARKER

Legislative Aide to the Council